

Holloman Red Cross Newsletter

Building 222 Suite 225 Holloman, Air Force Base



Happy St. Patrick's Day! & Misself 1886

The need for Red Cross volunteers on Holloman is greater than ever. The word is out, our volunteers have made this program so great that we are in high demand and many agencies on base are coming in and asking us for volunteers at their locations. Places to volunteer on base include the medical clinic, where they need people to do clerical work and filing for doctors and nurses, lifeguards at the fitness center, AR readers are in desperate need at both the primary and middle schools, the legal office needs volunteers to help with clerical work, and the education center is looking for someone to do clerical work. We are constantly striving to make our volunteers happy. After a little research we found out that Red Cross Volunteers are eligible for many great programs in addition to assistance with childcare and free Health and Safety classes that we offer here at the Holloman Red Cross. These programs are offered to active Red Cross volunteers, more information on specific criteria and program rules is available at the websites or toll free numbers listed after them. Thank you for all that you do! **Clara Barton Federal Credit Union** www.clarabartonfcu.org

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Station News

The Holloman Red Cross annual Rose Sale is underway. Please support your local Red Cross by purchasing a dozen red roses for only \$17.00, they are arranged with baby's breath and wrapped in cellophane. The proceeds fund our volunteer program allowing us to place volunteers at locations on base which need them. Red Cross volunteers provide much needed assistance at the clinic and schools, as well as many other organizations. The roses are for sale in the office Building 222 Suite 225 or from some of our volunteers and all of the Chairman. Roses will be delivered on April 2, 2003 from 8AM to 4PM. Volunteers are needed to help deliver the roses. Please support us by helping us raise money to fund a great and much needed volunteer program here at Holloman.

We have finally found them! After two Chairman and a whole office searching the web and every other resource we could think of, the Hospital smocks are now available to our volunteers. They have the American Red Cross Volunteer patch on them and are available at the station for cost. For more information please call us at 572-7066.



Let's welcome our New Volunteers for March

- <u>Alissa Austin</u>-Family Practice
- Michelle Baker Community Center
- Wonda Bynum Education Center
- Anthonette Checo-Medical Clinic
- Melissa Leonard- Military Career Advisor's Office
- <u>Bradley Nelson</u>-Medícal Clínic
- <u>Sylvester Shaw-</u>Special Projects
- <u>Tanísha DeGrechíe</u> School

Dental Clínic

- Híllary Graskíll
- Monica Shook
- Ercília Saldivar

Upcoming Classes

Free to Red Cross Volunteers after 20 hrs., of volunteer work

CPR and First Aid

March 15, FA/CPR/AED 9AM-5PM cost \$40 Alamo

March 22, FA/CPR/AED 9AM-5PM cost \$40 HAFB

Babysitting

March 25, 9AM-3PM cost \$30 Alamo

March 27, 9AM-3PM cost \$30 HAFB

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Please congratulate our parking permit winners for the month of March. Parking permits are good for one month.

Karen Garthwaite - Primary School Rena'ta Horva'th Brunner - Library Tina Holl - Clinic

Red Cross News

March is Red Cross month! We are going to be at the BX and at the Schools trying to raise awareness about the Red Cross' newest campaign. "Together We Prepare" is designed to help make the United States safer from disaster. The focus of the program is to show individuals how every person can help prepare for disaster. The campaign highlights five important steps in preparing for disaster:

- Make a Plan
- Build a Kit
- Get Trained
- Volunteer
- Give Blood

The Red Cross believes that people want to help, they are just looking for the opportunity to do so. "Together We Prepare" is a way to remind everyone that we are all in this together. Chartered by Congress in 1905, the American Red Cross is mandated to maintain a national system of disaster relief. The Red Cross has been responding to disasters for more than 100 years. We respond to more than 67,000 disasters each year, from fires to natural disasters. When we come together we become something bigger than us all. Contact us at the Holloman Red Cross 572-7066 for more information on "Together We Prepare" and it's five actions

The Installation Annual Recognition is set for May 1, 2003 at 1:30 at the Enlisted Club